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Mrs. Alexandra Clark
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Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
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Mrs. Clark:

This letter requests that the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality identify all Applicable, Relevant, and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs) for the proposed removal action to take place at the Electro Plating Services Site (Site) located at 945 E. 10 Mile Road, Madison Heights, Oakland County, Michigan 48071. Any State ARARs identified in a timely manner for this removal action will be complied with to the extent practicable.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has proposed to potentially fund a time-critical removal action at the Site. Upon approval of the action memorandum, EPA plans to remove, consolidate and properly dispose of these wastes or direct the potentially responsible party to perform the work. Laboratory analysis of samples collected during the site assessment indicates that hazardous wastes currently exist at the Site in an uncontrolled manner.

Federal ARARs for the Site primarily include Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability (CERCLA) 101 (14), CERCLA 121 (d)(3), 40 CFR 262.11, 40 CFR 300.440, and 40 CFR 300.415 (2). As the wastes being dealt with are likely to be RCRA characteristic wastes and they will be handled accordingly. Wastes will be transported to, and disposed of at, an acceptable treatment, storage, and disposal facility pursuant to the EPA Off-Site Rule.

If you have any questions regarding this request, or require more detailed information concerning the Electro Plating Services Site, please contact me at (734) 308-1695.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey A. Lippert

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